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CORONA FIRE CHIEF ANNOUNCES RETIREMENT

CORONA, CA— After 21 years of service, Corona Fire Chief David Duffy is set to retire on April 28, 2018.

David Duffy, joined the Corona Fire Department in 1997. He has served in every rank in the Department from Firefighter Apprentice to his current rank of Fire Chief. David also served for many years as Legislative Action Committee Chairman for the Corona Firefighters Association, Local 3757. Prior to working for the City of Corona, he volunteered as a firefighter at Riverside County Fire Department Station 13 in Home Gardens. David holds a Bachelor's Degree in business administration from California Polytechnic University, Pomona, an Associate's Degree in fire science from Rancho Santiago College, and is a State Certified Fire Chief.

"Corona Fire is a big part of our life and we plan to continue being involved in our community," said Chief Duffy. He and his wife of 30 years, Connie are long-time residents of Corona and live in the heart of the Historic District. "Corona Fire is a Family which has served Corona for 120 years. Serving our City with Pride is our mission. Although I will miss serving next to my Brothers and Sisters; Connie and I look forward to our next chapter in life."

A farewell event will be held at 2 p.m. on April 26 at Corona Fire Station 2.

"The City of Corona could not be more grateful for the dedication to our community that Chief Duffy has shown over the years," said City Manager Darrell Talbert. "His presence will be missed throughout the organization, but the influential leadership that he brought to the Corona Fire Department will continue to be evident. We wish him the best in his retirement."

About the City of Corona: Corona is located adjacent to Orange County California at the junction of the 91 and 15 freeways with a population of more than 160,000 residents. For more information regarding the City of Corona visit www.CoronaCA.gov.

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